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FIVE CENTS

H. G. DAVIS ELECTED HEAD OF G. W. ALUMNI

Unanimously Chosen At Annual Meeting, Held At Rauscher's

DEAN H. L. HODGKINS RESIGNS

Other Officers Chosen—Reception To President Stockton—Dancing Ends Social Program

The spirit of '76 pervaded the annual reunion of the Alumni Association when it met last Friday night in the ball room of Rauscher's to elect officers and to tender a reception to President and Mrs. Stockton. The reception to President Stockton began at 8 o'clock and lasted for more than an hour. Next followed the business session and election of officers.

Harry C. Davis, member of class '78, was unanimously elected president to succeed Stephen E. Kramer. Elected to serve with him were: vice-presidents: Edward F. Colladay, James W. Berry, Doctor Oscar B. Hunter, Miss Alberta Walker, Arthur S. Halsey, Mrs. E. M. A. Enslows; secretary, Ogle R. Singleton and treasurer, John B. Lerner.

Ex-President Reviews Year
The retiring president reviewed the accomplishments of the past year, declaring that the Association had grown steadily in number and in development. The new president, in a brief address, complimented the loyalty of the alumni, stating that a recent investigation of financial contributions to the University showed that the alumni were helping in every way possible to promote the continued growth of the University.

President Stockton also spoke optimistically of the future and expressed confidence that the interest and assistance of the alumni would be a big factor in accomplishing the aims and ideals of the University. He said that George Washington University stands for the highest ideals of character and patriotism and that there is a strong sentiment among the students to enter the service of their country during the war crisis.

Dean Hodgkin Reads Report
The annual report of Treasurer John B. Lerner, who was unable to attend, was read by Dr. Hodgkins who resigned as secretary.

A buffet supper was served at 10 o'clock, after which a program was given by the students of the University. The patriotic manner with which the student body greeted the national anthem and military airs gave to the event a martial tone.

Those taking part in the program were Chester La Follette, violin solo; Miss Christian Church, solo; the Girls' Glee Club, composed of Rachel Benfer, Doris Cochran, Marie Cuthbertson, Louise Gardner, Marie Crabbill, Elizabeth Heitmueller, Josephine Huber, Elizabeth Humphrey, Lashalia McCaffery, Olga Melick, Ruth Phillips, Margaret Preinkert, Elizabeth L. Richardson, Dorothy Sornborger, Eleanor Stanton, Lettie Stewart and Carol Walker; members of the Coast Artillery. A dance followed the program.

Prominent Lecturer to Visit G. W. May 15 and 16

Mr. Victor Horta, Director of the Royal Academy of Fine Arts of Brussels, will lecture before the University on May 15 and 16 at the Medical Building. The lectures, which are to be illustrated, will be on architecture.

Mr. Horta is visiting schools of Fine Arts in the United States to make a report on them to the Minister of Science and Fine Arts of Belgium, and also to make known to America the place occupied by Belgium in the world of Fine Arts.

Mr. Horta will talk on architecture at the Cosmos Club on May 14. The Belgian Scholarship Committee is giving Mr. Horta \$100 a night for his lectures. The faculty committee having the lectures in charge is composed of Dr. G. R. Brigham, A. B. Bibb and M. Carroll.

Three Straight Victories For G. W. Debate Team

George Washington successfully argued for Universal Military Training against the University of Pittsburgh at the Public Library April 12, the third debate of the season to be won by the G. W. U. team. The affirmative was upheld by W. E. Kemp, H. M. Brock and Andrew C. Wilkins, while the Pittsburgh team was composed of A. W. Kornhauser, J. A. Snyder, and J. R. Milligan. Dean Wilbur presided at the debate and announced the judges' decision. The judges were Justice William Hitz, of the District Supreme Court, Cato Sells, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and W. R. King, chief counsel of the Reclamation Service. The vote was two to one in favor of G. W. U. Excellent music was furnished during the evening. After the debate, Elmer Pendell, of the Columbian Debating Society, arranged an entertainment in honor of the visiting and local teams at the home of Miss Josephine Huber. Mr. and Mrs. Morehouse chaperoned. With the Pittsburgh team came their manager, an alternative, and Prof. Lane, the debating coach.

The Pittsburgh debate was the third victory of the season for G. W. The first debate was against the University of North Carolina, December 6, on Compulsory Arbitration. G. L. Hall, H. W. Kidder, and L. M. Dent argued for the negative. On April 5, W. E. Kemp, T. L. Smith and H. S. Taylor spoke affirmatively for Universal Military Service against Washington and Jefferson, and won the judges' decision for G. W.

Interfraternity Dance Tonight At Rauscher's

The Interfraternity Association dance to be held this evening at Rauscher's promises to be one of the most brilliant undergraduate functions ever held at the University. The dancing will begin promptly at nine o'clock and will continue until two o'clock. Among the guests of honor will be the President of the University and Mrs. Stockton, Dean and Mrs. Hodgkins, Dean and Mrs. Wilbur, Dean and Mrs. Borden, and Dean and Mrs. Ruediger.

PRE-MEDICAL STUDENTS PETITION FACULTY

The Pre-Medical Class has sent in a petition that they be allowed to discontinue their present Pre-Medical work and start in Medicine.

The petition was sent to President Stockton, who referred it to Dean Borden, Dean of the Medical Department. This petition can not be acted upon except by a faculty committee so nothing will be done about the matter until a meeting is called.

PROF. KERN ILL

Prof. Robert R. Kern will be unable to meet his economics and sociology classes for the rest of the session due to illness which confines him to his home. Prof. Hill will take his morning classes in economics and labor, and Mr. Chubb, class of '12, will take over his afternoon classes. Prof. Kern has been granted a leave of absence for the remainder of the year.

AN EXCLUSIVE PLAY

The presentation of "The Importance of Being Earnest" by Prof. Croissant's drama class May 18 in the A. & S. Assembly Hall will be a very exclusive affair. Admission will be by invitation only and each member of the class will have but two tickets to distribute. There may be dancing after the play. The stage will be arranged as it was for the Hatchet vaudeville show.

NEW SUMMER COURSES

Dean William Carl Ruediger has announced that a course in Russian will be added to the Summer School curriculum provided enough students signify their desire to take the subject. Three history courses will also be added provided the demand for them is sufficient. These history courses will be given by Elmer Kayser, now assistant in history. Mr. Kayser will give a course next year in ancient history. This course will be scheduled in the catalog. The history courses for Summer School are English History, Ancient History, and History of Education.



GEORGE WASHINGTON TO THE FRONT AGAIN!

To arms! This martial cry flung thruout the thirteen colonies in their desperate struggle against tyranny and for the equal rights of all mankind resounds in the hearts of all true red-blooded Americans.

And now our flag, soaked in the blood of these noble men is on the edge of another field of honor. It has even started its undaunted course in the hands of a young Texan who fell wounded while carrying it on the field of battle.

Our College bears a Coast Artillery Company and students active in Uncle Sam's service. With this nucleus to guide us, we are headed for active duty to guard the nation we love and of which we are a part.

George Washington took the lead in '76. His spirit still lives on. George Washington of today is ready to do or die for the U. S. A. C. A. S.

MUCH DISCUSSION AT ENGINEERS' ASSEMBLY

Nominations Made For Next Year's Officers

Nominations for next year's officers and speeches and discussion on engineering subjects was the program of the second Engineers' assembly held in the A. & S. Assembly Hall Monday evening. The meeting was called by President Miller immediately following a luncheon served by the girls of the different sororities.

Officers Nominated

Edwin A. Schmitt and David V. Stroop, both C. E. men, were nominated for president. For C. E. vice-president, Leon Hauser, O. H. Miller, and J. Lenovitz were nominated. Candidates for M. E. vice-president are John Spalding and Benjamin B. Cruickshanks. Nominees for E. E. vice-president are Z. A. Biggs, N. B. Ames, and S. B. Michael. For secretary the following were nominated: D. V. Stroop, Watson Davis, E. H. Bernstein, Carl Faist, and H. S. Ward. Candidates for treasurer are: Charles F. Blakely, H. S. Ward, C. L. Cottrell, and R. E. Little. Nominees for Executive Committee are H. A. Ehrman and Messrs. Lewis, Wrenn and Brady.

Schmitt Makes First Talk

Edwin Schmitt made the first talk and took the engineer corps as his topic. He enumerated the branches which this corps covered in this vicinity and also the engineering works which are to be rebuilt. He advised all the engineers to get experience before they went for a big job.

David V. Stroop interested his audience by his talk on the proposed Potomac Park which will put Washington in the lead in outdoor athletics. He explained the building of the present park and the proposed construction work necessary to make it a recreation ground of the first order.

Nathan Abramson spoke on his trip (Continued on page 3)

DOUBLE-HEADER IN BASEBALL TOMORROW

President Lenovitz Vouches For Games On Diamonds 3 and 4—Students Eager For Game

J. Lenovitz, president of the inter-departmental baseball league, has assured the students that a double-header will be staged tomorrow on diamonds three and four at half past two, providing the weather permits. The Veterinary nine will meet the Engineers while the Medical team opposes Columbian College. The Columbian team and the Engineers held a short practice last Saturday afternoon and expect to give a good exhibition when they appear tomorrow.

Officials Announced

The line-ups of three teams have been announced by Mr. Lenovitz. The umpires for these contests are Mr. Doyle, George Nordlinger and Tom Stayton while Henry Ravenel and Walter Overstreet will keep score.

John S. Bixler, who pitched for the Columbian champions last year, will take the mound against the Medics. Shaeffer will catch. The battery for the Engineers will be Huse (P) and Heald (C).

Line-up of Teams Given

The Columbian line-up is as follows: Bixler (P), Shaeffer (C), Wilson (1st), Stretch (2nd), Warfield (SS), Kirkpatrick (3rd), Prettyman (LF), Garner (CF), Carter (RF).

Engineers' line-up: Huse (P), Heald (C), Lenovitz (1st), Biggs (2nd), Elmore (SS), Brandels (3rd), Smith (LF), Cruickshanks (CF), Ward (RF).

Veterinary line-up: King (P), Patterson (C), Melvin (1st), Phillips (2nd), Romberg (SS), Kritt (3rd), Tell (LF), Barney (CF), Grenfeld (RF).

The Law School team is as follows: Haines (P), Carter (C), Wills (RF), Arbor (1st), Welkert (CF), Lake (SS), Stewart (3rd), Sweeny (LF), Walker (2nd).

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CAST BALLOTS FOR COUNCILMEN TODAY

Students To Elect Nine New Members For Second Council

POLLS CLOSE APRIL 26

Close Race Anticipated—Candidates Expected to Cause Heavy Voting

Due to the success with which the first election was held, the members of the Second Student Council will also be chosen by means of the popular ballot. There will be nine members chosen. The blank ballot will be found on page four. This ballot may be easily torn from this issue without affecting any of the news articles. All ballots must be properly filled out and mailed or sent to the Hatchet office before April 26.

Students need not use the Hatchet ballot altogether. Your choices may be written on a blank piece of paper and it will count the same as the Hatchet ballot provided it is signed with the name, address and class of the voter.

The students are given seven days in which to cast their votes and all those received after April 26 will be thrown out.

The Election Committee of the Council with Elmer Kayser as chairman, will meet Friday noon at 2017 G street in the History room and count the ballots. Results will be announced on the Hatchet Bulletin, details being given in the following Hatchet.

COUNCIL CANDIDATES

Nine Councilmen, two from Columbian College, one from Dental, one from Engineering, one from Law, one from Medical, one from Pharmacy, one from Teachers College, and one from Veterinary, are to be elected for the Second Student Council.

The members to be elected at this time will hold office until they are graduated or are removed for cause.

Rhessa M. Norris, Law '17, made the following statement as to the election: "In voting for candidates, all selections should be made in favor of the candidate who has done the most in student activities and who has the necessary qualities that will fit him for office."

The candidates follow:

Columbian College

R. G. Carter, '19, President '16, Associate Editor Cherry Tree, '17.
Russell Duval, '18, President Interfraternity Association, '17, President '15.

Harry Hough, '19, President, '17.
E. Underwood, '19, Cheer Leader, '16.
G. W. U. Players, '17.

Dental

W. H. Cowley, '18.
L. J. Genessee, '20, football, '16.

Engineering

G. A. Daidy, '18, President, '15, President Architectural Club, Art Editor Cherry Tree, '16, Manager Basketball team, '17.

W. S. Hance, Jr., '18, Editor Hatchet, '15-17, Editor Activities Handbook '16, Associate Editor Cherry Tree, '16, President Art Society, '15-17, Manager Vaudeville Show, '17.

Law

E. W. Dieserud, '18, Columbian Debating Society, Walter Clark Law Club, Librarian Law School.

E. Elkin, '18, Business Manager of G. W. U. Players, '17.

Medical

C. G. Gardner, '19, G. V. Minnick, '20, President of Pre-Medical Class, '16.

Teachers College

M. J. Prentiss, '19, Vice-President, '16.

G. B. Walter, '18, Basketball team, '15-17, Secretary W. U. C., '17, Secretary Players, '16, played in "Disraeli."

Veterinary

L. G. Chase, '18, President '16, Editor V. M. A., Dept. Editor, '14-16.
J. B. Patterson, '19, Basketball, '16.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1917.

Second Council

Balloting for the Second Council begins today. The First Council has accomplished a number of things which will live long in G. W. history. They have made mistakes, and were expected to make them before they got an efficient machine working. The Second Council will go in when the First Council is at its best; all obstacles have been removed and the new members will have only to deal with the future problems.

The candidates listed in this issue are all active students. Each has done something for his school, and is willing to sacrifice pleasure to see the Buff and Blue keep its place with other live institutions.

Students before voting should be sure that the candidate has showed himself capable of handling activities. The voter should pick out a student who has executive ability and who can really handle a proposition if the Council turns it over to him. It is claimed that as long as there will be no athletics next year the Council will have nothing to do. That is not true. It is because athletics have been suspended that live Councilmen are needed to devise schemes to take their place. There will be a number of new functions substituted. The Second Council will require men who can think. Vote for your candidate now.

A proper substitute for the \$8 tax for next year, is a question that requires no little thought. The abolition of the tax altogether is not the best plan. Athletics received 50 per cent of the \$8 tax. Since the other items included therein will be furnished the students next year it seems that the present signers should be willing to subscribe to a \$4 tax.

This \$4 tax would include the Hatchet, the Cherry Tree, and medical attention. These four items if subscribed to separately would amount to four times that sum. The student who paid his \$8 tax can surely afford to continue his subscription at a 50 per cent decrease. The Hatchet has already proved its worth, and those students who took advantage of the medical treatment will agree that they saved money. The Cherry Tree when it comes out about May 1, will also convince the students that they are getting more than their money's worth by this voluntary taxation.

In the face of the almost certain passage of the selective conscription act by Congress, and the certain enlistment of young men as privates in the tremendous army to be raised, it seems hardly possible that the men of this University will overlook the wonderful prospects offered them for advancement by their own military organization, the Coast Artillery Company.

Percy Gets A Letter

Dear Joe: I got a letter the other day from a "Miss D." requesting me to keep on writing to you. She said she enjoyed the letters better than you. She also advised me to take an automobile ride so I could tell you about it. Well, Joe, I did take a ride, but of course I couldn't find anything funny in it. We drove out past Alexandria on the road to Mt. Vernon. It was a wonderful ride. Alexandria, you know, is a seaport town near Washington where all the watermelons go in summer for a vacation. We saw their grand central station. In fact, we were upon it before we knew anything about it. After going thru this large town we hit it up to 35 miles per hour and smiled at the number of machines along the road making miscellaneous repairs. There was a long hill ahead of us so I threw on all the gas and went for it and as we approached the top, we heard a Pssssst-Pssssst-Pssssst and we thought we had turned into a locomotive. Following this sound came the bump-bump-bump-bump, and we stopped. Joe our left front tire had gone flat. While we were fixing it the other machines sped by and they had their turn to laugh. While we were standing there I was thinking of Charlie our garage chauffeur who is on the border in the pack mule division. It is said that Charlie got under his mule when it wouldn't go to find the trouble. While my thoughts were running in that gutter, I happened to look to the side of the road and saw a girl talking to a farmer who was petting his six-months-old calf. The girl was from the city for she asked the farmer if it really paid him to keep such a small cow. That was enough to give me energy so I pumped 10 more pounds into the tire. When I was again tired I stopped and saw a spooning couple approaching. Oswald evidently thought of a great idea for he said: "Alice, let's get married." Alice seconded the motion right away but with an amendment. "Sure, but who'll have us?" Ozy must have thought he had traveled far enough to hear so little so he retreated to Alexandria. I put 10 more pounds in the tire. The girl thought she hurt Ozy's feelings so she talked about the game they saw the day before. "Don't you remember," she asked, "when we had a man on every base?" "That was nothing," he replied sourly, "so had they?" I finished the tire then. After I got it on the car and let the car down the tire went down with it. I had put the same tube in the case. That reminded me of the time I went to the English Prof and asked him if he wanted to tell me about a tragedy. He said yes and I asked him to give me my mark. PERCY.

DEAN RUEDIGER READS PAPER

Dean Ruediger read a paper on "The After-Training of Teachers" at Philadelphia last Thursday at the annual series of conferences held under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania.

"The most precious asset in any school system," he said, "is a harmonious, loyal and self-reliant spirit. It is the basis for efficient teaching and provides the only atmosphere in which our pupils should be expected to do their work."

SCHOLARSHIP BANQUET

TO BE HELD TOMORROW
The Pan-Hellenic Association will hold its scholarship luncheon at the Raleigh tomorrow, at 1 o'clock. The guests are to meet in the hotel lobby at 12:50 o'clock.

V. M. A. MEETS

The regular meeting of the Veterinary Medical Association was held last Saturday evening. Papers were read by H. M. Savage, L. I. Hines, D. E. Higgins, Wm. Mohler and T. B. Fell.

University Calendar

Interfraternity dance will be held this evening at 9 o'clock, at Rauscher's.

Scholarship luncheon will be held tomorrow at 12:50 o'clock at the Raleigh.

Double-header baseball is scheduled for tomorrow at 2:30 on diamonds three and four.

Tomorrow, at 8 o'clock p. m., the regular meeting of the G. W. Medical Society will be held at the Medical School.

Polls close April 26 at 8 p. m. Engineers hold assembly, May 7, following the last afternoon class. Officers will be elected.

Mr. Victor Horta will lecture May 15 and 16, at the Medical School.

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"Absurd! Does Prussia really mean to cut the bands of peace? And why? It cannot last."

For modern war will mercifully blast itself in no time. Bad! Outrageous! But Thank Heaven no concern of ours. Yet laws were broken, thoughts were filled.

With vessels sunk, our own men killed, And feeling grew, "The nation cowers."

By pledges rudely torn, Indignities and scorn, Our pride had frequently been stung. By warfare inhuman, And cruelties insane, Our hearts had many times been wrung.

Still sober sense Brought up defense That changing need makes changing rule That war is war, not sport at school. And love and fear Of alien here Perplexed the mind, confused the case Intangled thoughts of kindred race.

Then selfishness must play its part The luring pleasure Of growing treasure. And fear for loved ones grip the heart Of fathers, mothers, Sisters, brothers. And hard it seems to give the seed Of manhood, eager youth, most rich In promise, to be sown like weed. And crumpled dead or dying in a ditch.

Oh! The Kaiser and his cursed court, Their words profane Their acts insane, Oh damn them all and all their sort! The Viceroy of God, for sooth! By divine right (And physical might)

The people's owners that in truth! Yet to be just the Kaiser is but man, And all his military host but men With inborn ways and habits which began In feudal ages far beyond our ken.

Not from anger, pique, revenge, do we The free United States advance Our starry banners on the land and sea Supporting England, Russia, France, To down unjust autocracy, Uplift deceived democracy, Is cause to make our banners dance.

For high ideals, pledged to rare Unselfishness prepared to spend Are all, and proudly glad to share In forcing world-wide war to end, At last our country takes decisive stand— One purpose, thought, resolve throughout the land.

By RICHARD COBB.

TO TREAT RECRUITS FREE

The Dental Infirmary has offered its services to the government in the treatment of the teeth of naval and army recruits who are turned down for enlistment because of poor teeth.

The Dental School in this manner joins forces with thousands of dentists all over the country who have made similar offers. Dr. Charles Bassett, assistant professor in charge of the infirmary, will have charge of the work.

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High School Principals Distribute Special Hatchet

Every senior of the Washington High Schools has received a copy of last week's special High School Edition of the Hatchet. The distribution was accomplished thru the officials at the High Schools on Monday, the day that the High School students returned from their Easter vacation.

Superintendent Ernest L. Thurston, C. E. '93, A. M. '14, honorary, who was formerly instructor of drawing at the University, sent a letter to all of the High Schools commending the distribution. Assistant Superintendent Stephen F. Kramer, B. S. '06, A. M. '09, and president of the General Alumni Association during the past year, furnished the Hatchet with statistics as to the number of seniors.

Principals Assist
At each of the High Schools a former student, or instructor of the University, or a friend of the University, was in charge. At Business High School, Allan Davis, B. S. '90, D. S. '96, is principal. At Eastern, Dr. Willard S. Small, who is now lecturer on education in Teachers College, is principal. Dr. Elmer S. Newton, M. D. '05, and for two years instructor in chemistry in the Medical School, is principal at Western High School. Frank C. Daniel, principal of the McKinley Manual Training School, recommends the College of Engineering to his students, and recently spoke at the banquet of the Engineering Society. Emery Wilson, principal of Central High School, where the Players presented "A Night Off," is interested in the University to which Central sends many of its graduates.

Dr. John Van Schaick, Jr., president of the Board of Education, arranged that the Board grant permission for the distribution of the special edition to the seniors.

DEBATE DIVORCE REGULATIONS

The Enochian Society met April 16, and debated the question of "Federal legislation Regulating Divorce." The affirmative side, composed of A. Holm and William Ahlgren, was given the decision. The negative was composed of O. H. Lindow and H. H. Kirby. Individual honors went to William Ahlgren.

TO GO TO HAGERSTOWN

The geology classes will take an all-day trip Sunday to Hagerstown, Md., to study the geology of that region. The party of students will be under the leadership of Prof. Bassler and Mr. Resser.

The party will meet at 7:45 a. m. in the ticket lobby of the Union Station Sunday morning, and will reach Washington on the return by 9:30 o'clock in the evening. The total expenses will be about \$1.50 and lunch to be brought from home. All connected with the University and their friends have been invited.

CHEMISTS TO ELECT OFFICERS

At the regular monthly meeting of the Chemical Society Wednesday, April 11, a talk on the fixation of nitrogen was given by W. S. Browne. April 28 was the date agreed upon for a visit to Corby's Bakery. All interested in the study of breadmaking both from a chemical and a house-keeping standpoint are invited to attend. The Society will leave the Medical Building at 1 p. m. sharp. The following members have been nominated for officers for the ensuing year. Elections will take place at the next regular meeting: For president, F. Fogle, P. Brattain; vice-president, W. Scully, P. Cathcart; secretary, W. S. Brown, G. Gersdorf, F. La Duc; treasurer, W. Hellmuth, W. Brown; press-representative, P. Brattain, H. Shinnick; executive committee, H. Miles, H. Kain, W. F. Pahl, A. Cross, W. Stockett, G. Gersdorf.

SORORITIES GET PRIZES

Phi Mu Sorority won first prize for selling the most tickets to the Hatchet vaudeville show. Chi Omega was awarded the second prize. The first prize is a G. W. wall blanket and the second prize is five G. W. pennants.

LEGAL AID SOCIETY

ELECTS OFFICERS FOR '18
The Legal Aid Society, the student organization of the Law School which gives legal advice to persons not financially able to retain counsel, has organized for the session 1917-18.

Membership in the society is an honor and is restricted to senior and post-graduate students of high scholarship, who are shocen by the faculty.

For the next session, G. L. Hall has been elected chairman, and Elmer W. Dieserud secretary. The other members of next session's Senior class who were elected to membership by the faculty are: L. T. Alverson, R. F. Woods, W. J. Heckman, Herbert H. Porter, T. H. Stukes, Allen Furlow, A. L. Fjeld, Harold S. Haines, D. Davidson, J. T. Birmingham, H. F. Freeman, E. C. Guy, E. P. Carbo, J. P. Helman, Max Rhoads, H. W. Kidder, E. C. Taylor, G. V. Weikert, H. E. Jackson, Fred G. Harden, C. F. Stone, and W. M. Fuller.

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MUCH DISCUSSION AT ENGINEERS' ASSEMBLY

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to Shenandoah and explained the erection of a power plant there. He went thru the construction from beginning to end and explained the difficulties encountered.

Buchanan Causes Much Discussion

The last speaker, and the one who caused the most discussion, was James A. Buchanan. He took as his subject "The Metric System." He pointed out the advantages of this system over the one used in this country and also gave a list of the countries employing it. He said that records showed that the different branches of the government employ the metric system, but that their reports are sent out in both systems.

Members of the Society took up both sides of the question and a lively debate followed. This debate ended when Mr. Schmitt criticized Mr. Buchanan's speech and said he should not have used notes. Prof. Dunstan was brought into the controversy to settle matters and ruled that criticism of speeches was proper but he saw no objection in the use of notes or references. He suggested a limitation of speeches, and also in the number of speakers for one assembly.

The next meeting will be held May 7.

MRS. E. B. DAVIS DEAD

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown Davis, wife of Arthur Powell Davis, director of U. S. Reclamation Service, died suddenly at her home Friday afternoon. She was a graduate of George Washington when it was Columbian College. She is survived by four daughters, Miss Dorothy Davis, Miss Elizabeth Davis, Mrs. Rena D. Peck and Mrs. Florence Eslin, all of this city. Funeral services were held Monday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Martin's Church. Burial was held in Rock Creek Cemetery.

MEDICAL STUDENTS QUIT AMBULANCE CORPS

The medical students who were members of the George Washington University Ambulance Unit have severed their connection with that organization. This is the result of the recommendation of the Council for National Defense that advised all medical students to continue their study of medicine which will enable them to be of more service to their country.

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SIGMA CHI

The annual Tri-Province Convention of the First, Second and Ninth Provinces was held on March 30 and 31 at the Shoreham Hotel. Delegates representing twenty-five chapters and four alumni chapters were present together with the Grand Consul of the Fraternity and several other grand officers. Business sessions were held Friday and Saturday at the Shoreham. Sigma Chi takes pleasure in announcing the initiation of Charles Valner, C. C., '20.

PI BETA PHI

Miss Sophia P. Woodman, a prominent Pi Beta Phi from New York, was a guest at luncheon in the Chapter Room on Thursday, April 5. The local Chapter will give a tea dance at the Cairo, Saturday, April 21, from 4 to 7, for the benefit of the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School.

KAPPA SIGMA

Every Kappa Sigma in Washington who enlists in the army or the navy will carry with him a small silk flag, the farewell gift of his fraternity. Fourteen men received the first series of flags, which were presented at a patriotic smoker held at the Alpha Eta chapter house on April 9. Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, Dr. Leonard H. English, J. Stuart Hunt and Dr. A. F. W. Schmidt made patriotic speeches. Fifty Kappa Sigmas attended the smoker.

A number of members and alumni gave a dance at the chapter house on April 4.

CHI OMEGA

Miss Louis Carmen of Swarthmore College was entertained by the chapter at luncheon on Wednesday, March 29.

Miss Myrtle King gave a shower on April 9, in honor of Miss Luella Field, whose marriage to Mr. Charles Hammel will take place on May 5.

THETA DELTA CHI

The Graduate Association will hold its regular monthly meeting and dinner at the Charge House tomorrow evening.

The active Charge in conjunction with the graduates held a lunch last Tuesday in honor of "Jim" Bradbury, who is here this week with "Have a Heart."

Julien Cunningham, '16, has received a commission in the army and is now at the Officers' School, Leavenworth, Kan.

PHI MU

The Beta Province Convention of Phi Mu which was to have been held in New York City during the Easter holidays was postponed on account of the national crisis. The delegates from Beta Alpha chapter are Misses Fay Pierce, Loyelle Callahan, Elizabeth Voorhees and Louise Lowber. Miss Margaret West, Phi Mu from Hollins College, Hollins, Va., was a luncheon guest of the chapter April 10.

DELTA TAU DELTA

Tom Peyton, Columbian College '20, has enlisted in Troop B, District National Guard.

Mr. Fortier, Upsilon Chapter, Cornell, and Mr. Brown, brother of Ralph Brown, Law '17 were guests of the chapter at supper Sunday evening.

SIGMA KAPPA

Sigma Kappa's annual Easter dance was held at the Cairo on Wednesday, April 11.

Sigma Kappa announces the pledging of Margaret Shaw on Wednesday, April 11.

Mildred Platt, of Epsilon chapter, Syracuse University, New York, was the guest of Zeta chapter at supper recently.

Zeta chapter entertained Pi Beta Phi fraternity on April 6 in the chapter rooms.

PHI SIGMA KAPPA

Phi Sigma Kappa announces the initiation on Tuesday, April 3, of Homer A. Dinneville, Vet. '18, and Earl Ruth, Col. Col. '20.

The monthly get-together luncheon of the active Chapter and alumni was held at the New Ebbitt on Thursday, April 12.

The annual Easter dance at which the initiates were honor guests was held Saturday night, April 14, at the Chapter House.

KAPPA ALPHA

Kappa Alpha held a members' smoker recently. Among those participating in the program were Dr. Tallferro, of Maryland State College, James Lee Bost, S. Clark Cross and LeRoy Boyd of the local alumni.

Among the local K. A.'s who have been called into war service are: Frank Baughman, Walter Bates and Langdon Moore.

SIGMA NU

Sigma Nu held a dance at the Chapter House on Easter Monday.

On Thursday morning, April 12, occurred the marriage of Miss Mary R. Gibson and Ralph Aaron Styer.

Sam Dillard is now living at the Chapter House.

Messrs. Mayor and McCreigh, of Beta Rho Chapter, Pennsylvania, visited the Chapter recently.

Departmental Notes

LAW SCHOOL

Messrs. McCoy, Collins, and Johnson have just enlisted in the D. C. National Guard, and John F. Helman in the Naval Reserves. Their withdrawal from the Law School in case of a call to the colors is expected.

VETERINARY COLLEGE

Dr. J. P. Turner was in Harrisburg, Pa., on a special inspection tour recently.

H. K. Mulford Company had a display of drugs at the college last Friday. Their representative gave a talk to the Sophomore class on the standardization of drugs.

Arrangements are being made for the seniors and juniors to inspect a herd of dairy shorthorn cattle on Mr. Leiter's farm near Chain Bridge.

Dean Buckingham visited New York City for a few days last week.

Dr. J. P. Turner has been appointed one of a special committee on "Army Veterinary Service" by the American Veterinary Medical Association. The other members of the committee are Drs. C. J. Marshall, V. A. Moore, F. A. Bolser and L. A. Merrill.

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Members of the Senior class are now wearing their new class pins, which they have just received.

Dr. J. W. Bovee, professor of gynecology, who has been ill, is expected to return to his classes soon.

Dr. Sherman Echols, who has spent the past half year in Middlesex Hospital, London, has been appointed a resident intern at the University Hospital.

Dr. Oscar B. Hunter, Professor of Histology, lectured to those University girls interested in medical science, on April 4. The subject of the talk was "Elementary Principles of Bacteriology." Tomas Cajigas, '18, assisted in the practical demonstration.

Henry W. Leetch, '18, was a visitor at the Medical School during the past week.

ENGINEERING COLLEGE

McNeil Smith of Cornell who was last year a G. W. Engineer, paid the college a visit recently.

Walter Johannessen, G. W. graduate of C. E., has recently recovered from an illness and paid the college a visit this week.

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LAW DINNER ABANDONED

Dean Fraser has announced that the Annual Law School banquet will be abandoned this year due to the war. The Law men are now thinking about the U. S. A. and not social functions.

SIGMA PHI EPSILON

Sigma Phi Epsilon announces the initiation of Harry E. Strang, Daniel N. Logan and Geo. L. Bowen, Columbian College, '20.

Sigma Phi Epsilons are responding to the call to the colors. J. W. Webb and Frank Hart have received commissions as lieutenants in the marine corps.

LeRoy B. Foster is commissioned as assistant paymaster with the rank of lieutenant in the Navy. The following men have taken the Reserve Corps' examination: B. C. Cruikshanks, P. J. Hunt, R. L. Hunter and H. L. Brown.

ALPHA OMEGA

Alpha Omega Dental Fraternity held their installation of officers recently. Drs. Becklor, Nathanson and Nielstadt, and Messrs. Cramer, Livingston and Scheer of the Zeta Chapter of Alpha Omega, University of Maryland, were present.

Messrs. Harris and Ogus represented the Epsilon chapter at an entertainment and dance held by the Zeta Chapter in Baltimore recently.

KAPPA PSI

A. T. Schwartz, Chief Pharmacist's Mate, in the Naval Reserve, was the first Kappa Psi to be called to active service. Schwartz is on temporary duty in Baltimore, and will be transferred to Philadelphia later.

H. H. Montgomery and P. W. Vestal visited Delta Chapter in Baltimore last week.

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